Gifted & Talented: Online Learning Resources

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Duke University's Talent Identification Program (TIP): provides an Independent Learning Program for grades 4-12 that offers academically gifted students an opportunity to pursue engaging accelerated or enrichment studies anytime, anywhere. To view course selections visit http://www.tip.duke.edu/independent_learning.

Education Program for Gifted Youth (EPGY) at Stanford University is a continuing project dedicated to developing and offering multimedia computer-based distance-learning courses. Through EPGY, students have access to courses in a variety of subjects at levels ranging from kindergarten through advanced-undergraduate. http://epgy.stanford.edu

Gifted Learning Links (Center for Talent Development at Northwestern University): online courses (enrichment, honors, honors and Advanced Placement [AP], and university credit courses) for students in grades K-12. For more information, go to http://www.ctd.northwestern.edu/

Indiana University: Indiana University High School; possible source for online courses for high school and dual enrollment credit; http://scs.indiana.edu

Renzulli Learning System (gr.3-6); http://www.renzullilearning.com

Virtual High School: Both high school and middle school courses; http://www.goVHS.org

Free Online Learning

Digital History: This Web site includes a wide variety of resources such as learning modules, an online American History textbook, primary sources, teaching guides virtual exhibitions and a history reference room. Visit http://www.digitalhistory.uh.edu.

Hoagie's Gifted Education Page: Online high school courses and curriculum materials; http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/online hs.htm

MIT Open Courseware: Free lecture notes, exams and videos from MIT; http://ocw.mit.edu/OcwWeb/web/home/home/index.htm

Monterey Institute AP Courses: Calculus, Physics, U.S. Government and U.S. history; http://www.archive.org/details/ap_courses

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Project Logged On: Highly challenging online science course work for grades 6-12; http://www.scrolldown.com/loggedon/index.htm

Score Cyberguides: Online Literature units; http://www.sdcoe.k12.ca.us/score/cyberguide.html